Wilmington, Delaware April 1, 2010

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Sponsor:

Council Member Walsh WHEREAS, by its Ordinance No. 97-051, amending Section 2-363 of the City Code, the Council deemed it necessary and proper to specify the requirements for review and approval of City-sponsored grant applications and proposals, including a requirement for Council approval by resolution and including authorization for expedited grant applications when necessary, prior to Council's resolution; and

WHEREAS, the City, through the Department of Police, has sought to obtain grant funding from the U. S. Department of Homeland Security FY2010 Port Security Grant Program in the amount of \$630,121.00 to purchase additional radio equipment and to pay three (3) full time Marine Unit officers; and

WHEREAS, Council deems it necessary and proper to authorize the Department of Police to submit the aforesaid application for funding to the U. S. Department of Homeland Security FY2010 Port Security Grant Program in the amount of \$630,121.00 to purchase additional radio equipment and to pay three (3) full time Marine Unit officers.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON that the Department of Police is hereby authorized to apply for a grant from the U. S. Department of Homeland Security Assistance FY2010 Port Security Grant Program in the amount of \$630,121.00 to purchase additional radio equipment and to pay three (3) full time Marine Unit officers.

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Mayor, James M. Baker, or his designee, shall be authorized to take all necessary actions to complete the filing of the grant application, including all undertakings and assurances taken heretofore, and, if and when the grant is forthcoming, to administer the grant and the grant program for the City of Wilmington.

Passed by City Council April 1, 2010

ATTEST:		
	City Clerk	

Approved as to form this James day of March, 2010.

Assistant City Solicitor

SYNOPSIS: This Resolution approves the filing of a grant application by the Department of Police to obtain grant funding from the U. S. Department of Homeland Security FY2010 Port Security Grant Program in the amount of \$630,121.00 to purchase additional radio equipment and to pay three (3) full time Marine Unit officers.